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- Application Data Sheet (37 CFR 1.76) (4 pages).
- [X]Preliminary Amendment (7 pages).
- [X]Specification, Claim(s), and Abstract (66 pages).
- [X]Formal drawings (7 sheets, Figures 1-7).
- [X]Copy of Declaration and Power of Attorney (4 pages).
- [X] Submission of Sequence Listing under 37 C.F.R. § 1.821(e) (2 pages).

- [X] Copy of Statement to Support Filing and Submission in Accordance with 37 C.F.R. §§1.821-1.825 filed 11/08/2002 (2 pages).
- [X] Copy of Sequence Listing filed 11/08/2002 (3 pages).
- [X] Information Disclosure Statement (2 pages).
- [X] Form PTO/SB/08 (5 pages).

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